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Mr. Wendell Owen
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Dear Mr. Owen:

Re: Tipple Amendment Review, Bear Canyon Mine, Co-Op Mining Company,
ACT/015/025-92P, Folder #2, Carbon County, Utah

Upon review of Co-Op's submission regarding tipple drainage at Bear Canyon, a number of items have been found to be deficient. The primary problem is that page 7-87a does not match the approved plan and is currently being revised as part of another amendment. In addition, this amendment has not discussed the impact of tipple wash water being directed into ditch D-3D. Specifically, no calculations have been submitted to show that the ditch can handle the additional flow. Please address these deficiencies by November 30, 1992.

Also, the Division would like to request that when making changes to the text or tables in the PAP, Co-Op use shading to show new information in the text and/or table(s). Where information will be deleted, Co-Op is requested to use a redlining format. By utilizing these techniques, the Division hopes to aid the review process and decrease the time needed to distinguish what changes are being made.

Sincerely,



Pamela Grubaugh-Littig
Permit Supervisor